

November 18, 1983

Mr. Arnold Henson
Senior Vice President
and General Counsel
American Brands, Inc.
245 Park Avenue
New York, New York 10167

Dear Arnold:

This will acknowledge with thanks receipt of
check to The Council in the amount of \$78,424.00, representing
the fifth installment of 1983 dues from American Brands,
Inc.

Sincerely,

W. T. Hoyt

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